

LANGLEY. 1643.

A New Almanack and  
Prognostication for  
that yeare, 2222

Being the third after Leap-year.


Composed for the Meridian  
of the famous Mayor Towne of  
Shrewsbury; and generally for all  
the North or West parts of  
England.

By Thomas Lengley Philomath.

*Felix qui potuit verum cognoscere causas.*

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# The Common Notes and moveable Feasts for this present year 1643.

Account in England.

Account beyond Sea.

	10	The Golden number	10
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	3	The Dominicall letter	D
February	12	Shrove Sunday	14 February
April	2	Easter day	5 April
May	7	Ascension Sunday	9 of May
May	11	Trinity Sunday	14 of May
May	21	Whitsunday	24 of May
May	28	Trinity Sunday	31 of May
December	3	Advent Sunday	29 of Novemb

## The Anatomy of mans body, as the partes thereof are by Astrologers attributed unto the 12 Signes in the Zodiaque.

♈ Aries, Head and face,

♉ Taurus  
Neck and  
throat.

♊ Gemini  
Breast, Stomach,  
and ribs.

♋ Cancer  
Bowels &  
belly.

♌ Leo  
Secret  
members.

♍ Virgo  
Rues.



♎ Gemini  
Arms and  
shoulder.

♏ Leo  
Heart and  
back.

♐ Libra  
Arms and  
loynes.

♑ Sagittarius  
Thighes.

♒ Aquarius  
Legs.

♓ Pisces the feet.

**The Beginning and Ending of the foure  
Termes, with their Returnes for this  
present yeere 1643.**

**Hilary Terme begins January 23. ends fe-  
bruary 12.**

Returne of the own dayes.	Dayes of Exception.	Returne Brevium.	Appearance.
Octab. Hill. Jan. 20	Janua. 31	Janu. 23	Janua. 23
Quind. Hill. Jan. 27	Janua. 28	Janu. 30	Janua. 30
Craft Purif. Feb. 3	Feb. 4	Feb. 6	Feb. 6
Octab. Puri. Feb. 5	Feb. 10	Feb. 11	Feb. 13

**Easter Terme begins April 19. and ends  
May the 15.**

Quind. Pas. Apr. 17	April 17	April 18	April 19
Tres. Pas. Apr. 24	April 25	Apr. 26	April 27
Men. Pas. May 1	May 2	May 3	May 4
Craft. Asce. May 12	May 13	May 15	May 15
Quinq. Pas. May 8	May 9	May 10	May 12

**Trinity Terme: begins June 2. ends June 21.**

Craft. Trin. May 29	May 30	May 31	May 31
Octa. Trin. Jun. 5	June 6	June 7	June 8
Quind. Tri. Jun. 12	June 13	June 14	June 15
Tres Trin. Jun. 19	June 20	June 21	June 22

**Michaelmas Terme beghneth October the 24.  
and endeth on the 26 of November.**

Tres Mich. Oct. 25	Nov. 21	Octo 23	Octob. 24
Men. Mich. Oct. 27	Octob. 30	Octo 30	Octo. 31
Craft. Anim. Nov. 3	Novem. 4	Nov. 6	Nov. 6
Craft. Mart. Nov. 13	Novem. 14	Nov. 15	Nov. 16
Octa. Mar. Nov. 18	Novem. 20	Nov. 20	Nov. 21
Quin. Mar. Nov. 2	Novem. 27	Nov. 27	Nov. 28

The Exchequer openeth 8 dayes before the beginning  
of any Term, excepting in Trinity Term, in which it  
openeth but foure dayes before.

A plaine and easie table, shewing the begin  
ning, continuance, and ending of the Reignes  
of all the Kings and Queens since *William the*  
Conquerour: with the time since their  
Reigne ended to this yeere. 1643.

The Kings Names.	Began their Reigne	Reigned yea. mon. days	Since their Reign ended
W. Conq.	1066 Octob. 16	20 y. 11 m. 22 d.	556 Septem.
W. Rufus	1087 Septem. 9	12 y. 11 m. 18 d.	543 August
Henry 1	1100 August. 1	35 y. 4 m. 10 d.	508 Decem.
Stephen	1135 Decem. 2	18 y. 11 m. 19 d.	489 Octob.
Henry 2	1154 Octob. 25	34 y. 9 m. 2 d.	454 Iuly
Richard 1	1189 Iuly 6	9 y. 9 m. 22 d.	444 Aprill
Iohn	1199 Aprill 6	17 y. 7 m. 0 d.	427 Octob.
Henry 3	1216 Octob. 19	56 y. 4 m. 0 d.	371 Novem.
Edward 1	1272 Novem. 16	34 y. 8 m. 9 d.	336 Iuly
Edward 2	1307 Iuly 7	19 y. 7 m. 6 d.	317 Ianuary
Edward 3	1326 Ianuar. 25	50 y. 5 m. 7 d.	266 Iune
Richard 2	1377 Iune 21	22 y. 3 m. 16 d.	244 Septem.
Henry 4	1399 Septem. 29	13 y. 6 m. 5 d.	231 March
Henry 5	1412 March 20	9 y. 5 m. 24 d.	221 August
Henry 6	1442 August 31	38 y. 6 m. 18 d.	182 March
Edward 4	1460 March 4	22 y. 1 m. 8 d.	160 Aprill
Edward 5	1483 Aprill 9	5 y. 2 m. 18 d.	160 Iune
Richard 3	1483 Iune 22	2 y. 2 m. 5 d.	158 August
Henry 7	1485 August 22	23 y. 8 m. 19 d.	134 Aprill
Henry 8	1509 Aprill 22	37 y. 10 m. 1 d.	97 Ianuary
Edward 6	1546 Ianuar. 28	6 y. 5 m. 19 d.	90 Iuly
Q. Mary	1553 Iuly 6	5 y. 4 m. 22 d.	85 Novem.
Q. Elizab.	1558 Novem. 17	44 y. 4 m. 15 d.	41 March
Iames	1603 March 24	22 y. 0 m. 3 d.	18 March
Charles	1625 March 27	1643. writeth 19	

Note that each King began his reigne at the same  
time that the next precedent King ended his.



# January hath xxxj. dayes.

- ( Last quart. 3 day, neare 7 in the morning. *winde.*  
 ● New Moon 10 day, neare 6 in the morning. *winde.*  
 ) First quart. 16 day, neare 10 at night. *cold.*  
 ● Full Moon the 24 day, neare 8 at night. *frost.*

1	a	St. Vincent	bladder	20	7	48	8	21	3	39
2	b	St. Steph.	loines	21	8	40	8	19	3	41
3	c	St. John	loines	●	9	30	8	18	3	42
4	d	St. Innoce.	secrets	23	10	12	8	17	3	43
5	e	Simon	bladder	24	11	0	8	15	3	45
6	f	Thelme day	Epipha.	25	11	50	8	14	3	46
7	g	Jultan mar.	thighes	26	12	38	8	12	3	48
8	a	1 Sun. Epiph.	knees	27	1	40	8	10	3	50
9	b	Su in Aquar	knees	28	2	30	8	8	3	52
10	c	Agapite	legs	●	3	20	8	6	3	54
11	d	Hignus	legs	1	4	8	8	5	3	55
12	e	Icha.	feet	2	5	24	8	3	3	57
13	f	Willary	Wed.	3	6	2	8	1	3	59
14	g	Felix	face	4	7	3	8	0	4	0
15	a	2 Sund. Epiph.	neck	5	7	50	7	58	4	2
16	b	Marcell bish.	neck &	●	8	4	7	57	4	3
17	c	Anthonp	throat	7	9	27	7	55	4	5
18	d	Icca	arms &	8	10	16	7	53	4	7
19	e	Molstan	shoud.	9	11	4	7	51	4	9
20	f	gnes	breft	10	11	49	7	49	4	11
21	g	Incent	breft &	11	12	38	7	47	4	13
22	a	3 Sund Epiph.	stomack	12	1	30	7	45	4	15
23	b	Term begin.	heart &	13	2	18	7	43	4	17
24	c	Timothy	back	●	3	4	7	41	4	19
25	d	Conb. Paul	guts	15	3	50	7	40	4	20
26	e	Dolpcarp	guts &	16	4	36	7	38	4	21
27	f	Agnes 2	belly	17	5	24	7	36	4	24
28	g	Valertus	loines	18	6	12	7	34	4	26
29	a	Septuagesima	loines	19	7	0	7	32	4	28
30	b	Wedding out	secrets	20	7	50	7	29	4	31
31	c	Saturnus	secrets	21	8	36	7	27	4	33

# February hath xxviij dayes

- ☾ Last quarter 1 day, neare 11 at night. *raime.*  
 ☾ New Moon 8 day, near 4 in the afternoon. *moyflure*  
 ☾ First quarter 15 day, near noon. *cold winter*  
 ☾ Full Moon 23 day, neare 4 afternoon. *weather.*

Month and weeks daies	Festivals, and Termes begin- ning and en- ding.	Moones Signe at noon.	Moon age	Ful Sea London Bridge.	rising.	Sunne setting.	Sunne
1	d Bridget Fast	bladder	☾ 9	24	7	25	4 55
2	e Purification	Candle	23	10	12	7	23 4 37
3	f craft. Purif.	thighes	24	11	0	7	20 4 40
4	g Agatha	knees	25	11	48	7	18 4 42
5	a Sexagesima	knees	16	12	36	7	16 4 44
6	b Do:rothea	legs	27	1	24	7	13 4 47
7	c Angle Bith.	legs	28	2	12	7	11 4 49
8	d sun in Pisces	feet	☉ 3	0	7	9	4 51
9	e Apoline	feet	1	3	48	7	7 4 53
10	f Scholastica	head &	2	4	36	7	5 4 55
11	g Eustace	face	3	5	24	7	3 4 57
12	a Shrove sunday	Quingel.	4	6	12	7	1 4 59
13	b Terme ends	neck	5	7	2	6	58 5 2
14	c Shro. Tues.	Vallent.	6	7	45	6	56 5 4
15	d Ashwensd.	1 d.in L.	☾ 8	36	6	54	5 6
16	e Iulian	armes &	7	9	30	6	52 5 8
17	f Polichron	shoulder	8	10	16	6	50 5 10
18	g Concordia	breft	9	11	6	6	48 5 12
19	a Quadragesima	1 Sun. L.	10	11	52	6	45 5 15
20	b Eucharis	heart &	11	12	36	6	43 5 17
21	c 40 martyrs	back	12	1	24	6	41 5 19
22	d Oath Peter	guts	13	Ember	6	38	5 22
23	e Serenus	guts &	☉ 3	0	6	36	5 24
24	f S. Mathias	belly	15	3	48	6	34 5 26
25	g Constantine	loines	16	4	36	6	31 5 29
26	a Nestor	2 Sun. L.	17	Or. mi	6	29	5 31
27	b Leander	secret. &	18	6	12	6	27 5 33
28	c Quasch Rith.	bladder	19	7	0	6	24 5 36

# March hath xxxj. dayes.

- ( Last quarter the 3 day, near 11 morning. *faire.*  
 ● New Moon 10 day, half an hour past 1 morn. *wet.*  
 ) First quarter 17 day, past 4 morning. *winde.*  
 ● Full Moon 25 day, near 8 in the morning. *winde.*

1	d	David Bp.	thighes	20	7	46	6	22	5	38
2	e	Chadd Bp.	chighes	21	8	36	6	20	5	40
3	f	Maurice	knees	●	9	24	6	18	5	42
4	g	Adrian	knees	23	10	12	6	16	5	44
5	h	3 Sund. Lent.	legs	24	11	6	6	13	5	47
6	b	Victor & Vi	legs	25	11	46	6	11	5	49
7	c	Tho. Aquin.	feet	26	12	38	6	9	5	51
8	d	Felix deposed	feet	28	1	32	6	6	5	54
9	e	40 Martyrs	feet	29	2	26	6	4	5	56
10	f	Sun in aries.	head &	●	3	10	6	2	5	58
11	g	Cuthbert.	face	1	3	52	6	0	6	0
12	h	Midlent Sun.	neck	2	4	36	5	58	6	2
13	b	Wallerian	neck &	3	5	26	5	56	6	4
14	c	Leonard	throat	4	6	12	5	54	6	6
15	d	Fidoze	arines &	5	7	0	5	51	6	9
16	e	Olmond	shoulo.	6	7	48	5	49	6	11
17	f	Edm. King	Patrick	●	8	36	5	47	6	13
18	g	Joseph con.	breft &	8	9	24	5	44	6	16
19	h	5 Sund. Lent.	stomack	9	10	12	5	42	6	18
20	b	Pat. Obid	heart &	10	11	6	5	40	6	20
21	c	Cuthbert	back	11	11	48	5	38	6	22
22	d	Benedict.	guis &	12	12	36	5	36	6	24
23	e	Abbadose	belly	13	1	24	5	33	6	27
24	f	Pigmen Fas	loines	14	2	12	5	31	6	29
25	g	Annuntiation	Lady da	●	3	0	5	29	6	31
26	h	Palm Sunday	secrets	16	3	48	5	26	6	34
27	b	King Ch. begin	bladder	17	4	36	5	24	6	36
28	c	Dorothe	thighes	18	5	24	5	22	6	38
29	d	Quintine	thighes	19	6	12	5	20	6	40
30	e	Quirine	knees	20	Man. th	5	18	6	42	
31	f	Adelm. Bp.	knees	21	Good Fr	5	16	6	44	

# Aprill hath xxx. dayes.

- ( Last quarter 1 day, about 7 in the night. *raime.*  
 ● New Moon 8 day, neere 11 before noone. *faire.*  
 ) First quarter 15 day, at 9 at night. *raime.*  
 ● Full Moon 23 day, past 10 at night. *winde.*  
 ( Last quart. the last day, at midnight. *cloudy winde.*

1	g	Theodore	legs	(	8	36	5	14	6	46
2	h	Easter day	legs	24	9	24	5	12	5	48
3	b	Wip'anus	legs	25	10	12	5	10	5	50
4	c	Adoze	feet	26	11	0	5	8	6	52
5	d	Vincent	feet	27	11	48	5	6	6	54
6	e	Sextus Pa.	head	28	12	36	5	4	5	56
7	f	Egeſſipus	head &	29	1	30	5	2	6	58
8	g	Dionysius	face	●	2	20	4	5	6	1
9	h	Low Sunday	Sun Tau	1	wed.in	4	57	7	3	
10	b	Ezechell	neck &	2	3	56	4	55	7	5
11	c	Leo pap	throat	3	4	48	4	5	7	7
12	d	Julius	arms &	4	5	27	4	51	7	9
13	e	Crimigill	should.	5	6	12	4	49	7	11
14	f	Valerian	breſt	6	7	0	4	47	7	13
15	g	Leonard	breſt &	7	7	49	4	45	7	15
16	h	2 Sund. Eaſt.	ſtomack	8	8	38	4	42	7	18
17	b	Annicetus	heart &	9	9	24	4	40	7	20
18	c	Cluthertus	back	10	10	14	4	38	7	22
19	d	Terent beatus	gu's	11	11	0	4	36	7	24
20	e	Victor	guts &	12	12	0	4	34	7	26
21	f	Simoon Ep.	belly	13	1	0	4	32	7	28
22	g	Hellen Duce.	loines	14	2	0	4	30	7	30
23	h	St. George	3 S. Ea.	●	3	0	4	28	7	32
24	b	Adelber	ſecrets	16	3	48	4	26	7	34
25	c	St. Mark	ſecrets	17	4	36	4	24	7	36
26	d	Cletus	thighes	18	5	24	4	22	7	38
27	e	Ineſtatus	thighes	19	6	12	4	20	7	40
28	f	Uitalis	knees	20	7	0	4	18	7	42
29	g	Peter of Mil	knees	21	7	48	4	16	7	44
30	h	4 Sund. Eaſter	legs	(	8	36	4	14	7	46

# May hath xxxj. dayes.

- ☾ New Moon 7 day, neare 9 at night. *seasonable*  
 ☽ First qu. 15 day, neare 3 afternoon. *saire.*  
 ☾ Full Moon 23 day, neare 8 in the morn. *showers*  
 ☾ Last quarter 30 day, neare 6 in the morning. *saire.*

1	b	Phil & iacob.	May, da	23	9	24	4	12	7	48
2	c	Arbenasius	feet	24	10	12	4	10	7	50
3	d	Inben. Croll	feet	25	11	0	4	8	7	52
4	e	Florianus	head	26	11	48	4	6	7	54
5	f	Gothardus	head	27	12	49	4	4	7	56
6	g	Ioh. Port. lat	face	28	1	44	4	3	7	57
7	a	Rogation Su.	5 Su, Ea	●	2	39	4	1	7	59
8	b	Wedding ou	neck	1	3	50	4	0	8	0
9	c	Trans. Rich.	arms &	2	4	38	4	58	8	2
10	d	Sun in Gem.	should.	3	5	24	3	57	8	4
11	e	Ascension da.	Ho. Th.	4	6	12	3	55	8	5
12	f	Anthony	breast	5	7	0	3	54	8	6
13	g	Herbatus	heart	6	7	48	3	52	8	8
14	a	6 Sun Easter.	heart &	7	8	36	3	51	8	9
15	b	Terme ends	back	●	9	24	3	49	8	11
16	c	Bandarius	guts &	9	10	12	3	47	8	13
17	d	Trans. Bern	belly	10	11	0	3	46	8	14
18	e	Diaseorus	loines	11	11	48	3	44	8	16
19	f	Dunstan	loines	12	12	36	3	43	8	17
20	g	Bernardinus	secrets	13	1	24	3	42	8	18
21	a	24th tuesday	Pentec.	14	2	12	3	41	8	19
22	b	Iustan	thighes	15	3	0	3	40	8	20
23	c	Desideri	thighes	●	3	48	3	39	8	21
24	d	Ember week	knees	17	4	36	3	38	8	22
25	e	Urban	knees	18	5	24	3	37	8	23
26	f	Cluthertus	legs	19	6	12	3	36	8	24
27	g	Wede Puck	legs	20	7	0	3	35	8	25
28	a	Trinity Sund.	Or.min.	21	7	48	3	34	8	26
29	b	Wedding in	feet	22	8	36	3	33	8	27
30	c	Felix	head	●	9	24	3	32	8	28
31	d	Petronell	head	24	10	12	3	31	8	29

# June hath xxx dayes.

- New moon 6 day, neare 8 in the morn. *coole blasts.*
- First quarter 14 day, neare 9 in morning. *seasonable.*
- Full moon 21 day, near 7 afternoon. *temperate.*
- Last quarter 28 day, near 11 morning. *saire.*

1	e	Corp. Christi	head	25	11	0	3	39	8	30
2	f	Cerine begin	neck &	26	11	48	3	30	8	30
3	g	Crasinus	throat	27	12	30	3	29	8	31
4	h	1 Sun. af. Trin.	arms	28	1	24	3	29	8	31
5	b	Boniface	arms &	29	2	12	3	28	8	32
6	c	Claudius	should.	30	3	0	3	28	8	32
7	d	Paul	breast &	2	3	46	3	28	8	32
8	e	Edward	stomach	3	4	38	3	28	8	32
9	f	Felician	heart	4	5	24	3	28	8	32
10	g	Juan Conf.	heart	5	6	12	3	28	8	32
11	h	2 Sun. in Cake.	2 Sun. Tr	6	7	0	3	28	8	32
12	b	Basilides	guts &	7	7	47	3	27	8	33
13	c	Anthony	belly	8	8	36	3	27	8	33
14	d	Valerius	loines	9	9	26	3	27	8	32
15	e	Vitus	loines	10	10	14	3	28	8	32
16	f	Brandon	secret &	11	11	0	3	28	8	32
17	g	Marcell	bladder	12	11	48	3	28	8	32
18	h	3 Sund. Trin.	thighes	13	12	36	3	28	8	32
19	b	Gerbatius	thighes	14	1	24	3	28	8	32
20	c	Trans. Edw.	knees	15	2	12	3	28	8	32
21	d	Cerine end	knees	16	3	0	3	29	8	31
22	e	10000 Mar.	legs	17	3	48	3	29	8	31
23	f	Cethelr. Fast	legs	18	4	36	3	30	8	30
24	g	2 John Bap.	legs	19	5	24	3	30	8	30
25	h	4 Sand. Trin.	feet	20	6	12	3	31	8	29
26	b	John Paul	feet	21	7	0	3	32	8	29
27	c	Crescens	head &	22	7	48	3	33	8	27
28	d	Leo bilh. Fast	face	23	8	36	3	34	8	26
29	e	3 Peter	neck &	24	9	24	3	35	8	25
30	f	Conb. Paul	throat	25	10	12	3	36	8	24

# July hath xxxj. dayes.

- New Moon 5 day, near 9 at night.  
 First quart. 14 day, neare 1 morn.  
 Full Moon 21 day, past 2 morning.  
 Last quart. 27 day, neare 6 at night.

cloudy.  
 some winds.  
 temperat.  
 seasonable.

1 g	Theobaldus	throat	26	11	C	3	37	8	23
2 a	5 Sund. Trin.	arms &	27	11	48	3	38	8	22
3 b	Hyacinth	should.	28	12	36	3	39	8	21
4 c	Trans. Mar.	breast	29	1	24	3	41	8	19
5 d	Anselme	breast &	2	12	3	42	8	18	
6 e	Tranquill.	stomach	2	3	0	3	43	8	17
7 f	Nicostat	heart &	3	3	46	3	45	8	15
8 g	Cattian	back	4	4	38	3	46	8	14
9 a	6 Sund. Trin.	guns &	5	5	24	3	48	8	12
10 b	7 Brethren	belly	6	6	12	3	50	8	10
11 c	Trans. Ben.	loines	7	7	0	3	52	8	8
12 d	Sun in Leo.	loines	8	7	47	3	54	8	6
13 e	Margrith	leines	9	8	36	3	55	8	5
14 f	Rebel.	secret. &	9	9	26	3	57	8	3
15 g	Swithen	bladder	11	10	14	3	59	8	1
16 a	7 Sund. Trin.	thighes	12	11	0	4	0	8	0
17 b	Euface. Ep.	thighes	13	11	48	4	2	7	58
18 c	Arnolphe.	knees	14	12	36	4	3	7	57
19 d	Dog day beg.	knees	15	1	24	4	5	7	55
20 e	Margaret	legs	16	2	12	4	7	7	53
21 f	Maxad virg.	legs	17	3	0	4	9	7	51
22 g	Marp Wag.	feet	18	3	48	4	11	7	49
23 a	8 Sund. Trin.	feet	19	4	36	4	13	7	47
24 b	Spoltne. Fast	head	20	5	24	4	15	7	45
25 c	S. James	head &	21	6	12	4	17	7	43
26 d	Anna	face	22	7	0	4	19	7	41
27 e	Bartha	neck &	23	7	48	4	20	7	40
28 f	Samplon	throat	24	8	36	4	22	7	38
29 g	Beatrice	arms &	25	9	24	4	24	7	36
30 a	9 Sund. Trin.	should.	26	10	12	4	26	7	34
31 b	Gervanus	breast	27	11	0	4	28	7	32

# August hath xxxj. dayes.

- New Moon 4 day, neare 11 in the morning. *faire*
- ☾ First quart. 12 day, neare 3 afternoon. *cloudy*
- Full Moon 19 day, neare 10 in the morning. *wet*
- ☾ Last quarter 26 day, neere 3 in the morn. *windy.*

	c	Lammas day	breſt &	28	1	2	1	26	7	34
2	d	Stephen	ſtomach	29	1	50	4	28	7	32
3	e	Inden Sec	heart &	30	2	40	4	30	7	30
4	f	Arſtarch	back	●	3	20	4	32	7	28
5	g	Fell. Ribes	guts	1	4	8	4	34	7	26
6	a	Tranſ. Chri.	to S. Tr	2	4	52	4	36	7	24
7	b	Nicriclas	belly	3	5	36	4	38	7	22
8	c	Donatus	loines	4	6	20	4	40	7	20
9	d	Cyrtiack	loines	5	7	10	4	42	7	18
10	e	Lawrence	ſecrets	6	7	56	4	45	7	15
11	f	Tiburt	bladder	7	8	40	4	47	7	13
12	g	Clare Virgl.	thighes	●	9	28	4	49	7	11
13	a	11 Sund. Trin.	Su. Virg		10	14	4	51	7	9
14	b	Eusebius	knees	10	11	0	4	53	7	7
15	c	Aſſump. Ma.	knees	11	11	48	4	55	7	5
16	d	Cluthertus	legs	12	12	36	4	57	7	3
17	e	Oct. Laure.	legs	13	11	40	4	59	7	1
18	f	Agapite Mar	feet	14	2	36	5	2	5	58
19	g	Magnus	feet	●	3	40	5	4	5	56
20	a	12 Sund. Trin.	feet	16	4	28	5	6	5	54
21	b	Cyrtaca	head &	17	5	18	5	8	5	52
22	c	Oct. Aſſump.	face	18	6	12	5	10	6	50
23	d	Sach.	neck	19	7	0	5	12	6	48
24	e	St. Barthe	thzoat	20	8	0	5	14	6	46
25	f	Rem. R. Fra.	arms	21	8	49	5	16	6	44
26	g	Sepherin	arms &	●	9	37	5	18	6	42
27	a	13 Sund. Trin.	ſhould.	23	10	36	5	20	6	40
28	b	Auguſtine	breſt &	24	11	0	5	22	6	38
29	c	Dec. da. end	ſtomach	25	11	48	5	24	6	36
30	d	Felix & Ab	heart &	26	12	36	5	26	6	34
31	e	Euthbert	back	27	1	24	5	29	6	31



# September hath xxx. dayes.

- ☉ New Moon 3 day, neare 5 in the morn. seasonable  
 ☾ First quarter 11 day, neare 2 morning. saire,  
 ☉ Pull Moon 17 day, neare 7 at night. raine,  
 ☾ Last quarter 24 day, neare 4 in the afternoon. raine

1	f	Stiles Abb.	heart	28	2	12	5	32	6	29
2	g	Anth. War.	guts	25	3	0	5	34	6	27
3	h	Gregory	148. Tr.	●	3	48	5	36	6	24
4	b	Tuthbert	loines	1	4	36	5	38	6	22
5	c	Oswald	loines	2	5	24	5	40	6	20
6	d	Wagnus	secret. &	3	6	12	5	42	6	18
7	e	Regina Virg	bladder	4	7	0	5	44	6	16
8	f	Mat. Mary	thighes	5	7	48	5	47	6	13
9	g	Gorgonius	thighes	6	8	36	5	49	6	11
10	h	15 Sun. Trin.	knees	7	9	24	5	51	6	9
11	b	Felix	knees	8	10	12	5	54	6	6
12	c	Guido	legs	9	11	0	5	56	6	4
13	d	Sun in Libra	legs	10	11	48	5	58	6	2
14	e	Holy Woode	legs	11	12	36	6	06	0	0
15	f	Ember week	feet	12	1	24	6	25	58	
16	g	Edith Virg.	feet	13	1	12	6	45	5	5
17	h	16 Sun. Trin.	Or. min	●	2	0	6	95	5	5
18	b	Ferrolus	face	15	3	48	6	115	4	5
19	c	Leodeg	neck &	16	3	36	6	135	47	
20	d	Eusebe Fast	throat	17	4	24	6	165	44	
21	e	St. Mathew	throat	18	5	12	6	185	42	
22	f	Marcellus	arms &	19	6	0	6	205	4	
23	g	Elbras	shoul.	20	7	48	6	225	38	
24	h	17 Sund. Tri.	breast	●	7	36	6	245	3	
25	b	Cleophas	breast &	22	8	24	6	275	33	
26	c	Cinzian	stomack	23	9	12	6	295	31	
27	d	Cosm. & Dam	heart &	24	10	0	6	315	29	
28	e	Edith	back	25	11	48	5	345	27	
29	f	St. Andrew	guts &	26	11	36	6	365	2	
30	g	Sierom Br.	belly	27	12	24	6	385		

# October hath xxxj dayes.

- New moon 2 day, neare 9 at night.
- ☾ First quar. the 10 day, neare noone.
- ☾ Full moon 17 day, neare 4 morning.
- ☾ Last quar. the 24 day, neare 10 morning.

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1	a	18 Sun Trin.	loines	29	i	3	5	38	5	22
2	b	Leodegarius	loines	●	2	35	5	41	5	19
3	c	Cand. Mar.	loines	1	3	25	6	43	5	17
4	d	Francis	secret. &	2	4	20	5	45	5	15
5	e	K. Cret. fr. Sp	bladder	3	5	18	6	48	5	12
6	f	Faith	thighes	4	6	12	6	50	5	10
7	g	Sergius	thighes	5	7	2	6	52	5	8
8	a	19 Sun. Trin.	knees	6	7	56	6	54	5	6
9	b	Callixtus	knees	7	8	40	5	56	5	4
10	c	Paul Bish.	legs	☾	9	26	6	58	5	2
11	d	Nicasius	legs	9	10	14	7	14	59	
12	e	Alward	feet	10	11	10	7	34	57	
13	f	Sun in scorp.	feet	11	12	0	7	54	55	
14	g	Hedwigius	head &	12	12	48	7	74	53	
15	a	20 Sun. Tri. face		13	1	24	7	94	51	
16	b	Gallus Abb.	neck &	14	2	12	7	114	49	
17	c	Egelo. Fall	throat	●	3	0	7	134	47	
18	d	St. Luke	throat	16	3	48	7	164	44	
19	e	Ardeobede.	arnis &	17	4	36	7	184	42	
20	f	Cayrus	thou. d.	18	5	24	7	204	40	
21	g	Arula	breft	19	6	12	7	224	37	
22	a	21 Sun. Trin.	breft &	20	7	0	7	254	35	
23	b	Corn. regm.	uomach	21	7	48	7	274	33	
24	c		heart &	●	8	36	7	294	31	
25	d	Crispine	back	23	9	24	7	324	28	
26	e	Amans	guts	24	10	12	7	344	26	
27	f	Roxenee Fall	guts &	25	11	0	7	364	24	
28	g	Simon & Iude	belly	26	11	48	7	384	22	
29	a	22 Sun. Trin.	loines	27	12	3	7	404	20	
30	b	Theone	loines	28	1	18	7	414	19	
31	c	Quirine Fall	secrets	29	2	0	7	434	17	

# November hath xxx dayes.

- New moon 1 day, at 2 in the afternoon. *winde.*
- First quarter 8 day, neare 9 at night. *winde.*
- Full Moon 15 day, neare 4 afternoone, *seasonable.*
- Last quarter 23 day, neare 4 in afternoone. *saire.*

1	d	All Saints	bladder	●	2	48	7	45	4	15
2	e	All Soules	thighes	1	3	30	7	47	4	13
3	f	Craft. Anima	thighes	2	4	30	7	49	4	11
4	g	Pierius	knees	3	5	24	7	51	4	9
5	a	23 Sund. Trin.	Pop. Co	4	6	12	7	53	4	7
6	b	Leonard	legs	5	7	6	7	55	4	5
7	c	Wulbrode	legs	6	7	48	7	57	4	3
8	d	4 Crowned	feet	7	8	30	7	58	4	2
9	e	Theodore	feet	8	9	24	7	04		0
10	f	Triphon	head	9	10	12	8	14		55
11	g	Martin	face	10	11	2	8	33		57
12	a	24 Sund. Tri.	Sund. leg.	11	11	56	8	53		55
13	b	Eugenius	neck	12	12	30	8	03		54
14	c	Trans. Crk.	throat	13	1	24	8	83		52
15	d	Machute	arms	●	2	12	8	103		50
16	e	Dep. Edm.	arms	15	3	08	12	3		48
17	f	St. Hugh	shoul.	16	3	48	8	14		46
18	g	Gelasius	brist	17	4	36	8	15		45
19	a	25 Sund. Trin.	stomach	18	5	24	8	17		43
20	b	Edm. King	heart	19	6	12	8	18		42
21	c	Present Ma.	heart	20	7	08	19	3		41
22	d	Cecily bng.	back	21	7	48	8	21		39
23	e	Clemens	guts	●	8	30	8	22		38
24	f	Erizagon	belly	23	9	24	8	23		37
25	g	Katherine	loines	24	10	11	8	24		36
26	a	26 Sund. trin.	loines	25	11	2	8	25		35
27	b	Agricola	secret.	26	11	50	8	26		34
28	c	Edm. end	bladder	27	12	30	8	27		33
29	d	Saturn	thighes	28	1	24	8	28		32
30	e	S. Andrew.	thighes	29	2	12	8	29		31

# December hath xxxj dayes

- New Moon 1 day, neare 5 in the morning.
- First quart. 8 day, neare 6 in the morn.
- Full Moon 15 day, neare 5 in the morn.
- Last quarter 23 day, neare 5 in the morning.
- New Moon the 30 day, neare 8 at night.

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1	f	Eligius	secrets	1	3	08	29	3	3
2	g	Liban Mart.	thighes	1	3	468	30	3	3
3	a	Advent sun.	wed. out	2	4	388	30	3	3
4	b	Barbara	legs	3	5	368	31	3	2
5	c	Saba Abb.	legs	4	6	148	31	3	2
6	d	Nicholas	feet	5	7	28	32	3	2
7	e	Ambrose	feet	6	7	508	32	3	2
8	f	Con. of Ma.	feet	7	8	408	32	3	2
9	g	Cyprian	head &	8	9	308	3	3	2
10	a	1 Sun Advent	face	9	10	128	32	3	2
11	b	Sun Capric.	neck &	10	11	08	32	3	2
12	c	Paul Ap.	throat	11	11	478	32	3	2
13	d	Luce Virg.	arms	12	12	368	32	3	2
14	e	Gallerian	arms &	13	1	248	32	3	2
15	f	Emb. week	should.	14	2	128	32	3	2
16	g	Maxim	breast	15	3	68	32	3	2
17	a	2 Sund. Adv.	Or. min.	16	3	528	32	3	2
18	b	Victor	heart	17	4	408	32	3	2
19	c	Vincent Virg.	heart &	18	5	248	31	3	2
20	d	Julian Fast	back	19	6	128	31	3	2
21	e	St. Tho. Ap.	arms &	20	7	08	3	3	3
22	f	7 Martyrs	belly	21	7	488	30	3	3
23	g	Victor	loaves	22	8	368	29	3	3
24	a	3 Sund. Adve.	loaves	23	9	248	29	3	3
25	b	Thyssen. Day	loaves	24	10	118	28	3	3
26	c	St. Stephen	secrets	25	11	28	28	3	3
27	d	St. John	secrets &	26	11	508	26	3	3
28	e	Innocents	bladder	27	12	368	25	3	3
29	f	Tho. Beck.	thighes	28	1	248	2	3	3
30	g	James	thighes	29	2	128	23	3	3
31	a	Elisabeth	thighes	30	3	68	22	3	3



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Winter Quarter

**B**eginneth at his entrance into Capricorne,  
and lasteth till it hath made his passage  
thorow the latter part of Pisces, making  
his declination to the Southward, produ-  
cing unto us the shortest day and longest night in the  
yeare. This season is the most coldest of all the rest:  
and the weather being most agreeable to its owne na-  
ture, is the best being cold and moist; and yet too  
much cold killeth trees in a warme Region: especially  
under trees. A warme and moist winter is unwhol-  
some, and an enemy to husbandmen, but reasonable  
hoze of Snow fall, and lye without melting by frost,  
preserveth the corne, and begetteth great plenty.  
Diseases like to afflict this quarter be Coughes, Pal-  
ses, Gouts, Fevers, Head-ach, Tooth-ach, Fluxes of  
blood, and such like.

The Spring

Is the comfortablest Quarter in the yeare, of nature  
warme and moist, for then the Sun draweth nare  
to the Zenith, now the east winds blow, dispersing su-  
perfluous humours, making the earth apt and fit to  
bring forth all things for the use of man: And begin-

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neth at the **Suns** entrance into **Aries**, making the dayes and nights of an equall length, endeth in the 12. of June. Now there ariseth with the **Sun** **Stars**, called the **Pleyades**, **Hyades**, **Orion**; And in the evening tempestuous and moyst **Stars**, which stirre up raine and moyst weather, and winds. Diseases attending on this Quarter, are Leprosies, red spots, Fevers, Tooth-ach, Ring-wormes, paines in the head and throat, small Pore, falling Akenesse, Kings evil, Wenness, and such like.

Summer.

**B**eginneth at the **Suns** ingresse into the first minute of the Northerne Tropicall Signe **Cancer**. On the 10. of June, **Presepea** and **Asseti**, and other fixed **Stars**, fram whence, by the **Suns** access, is stirred up raine, to bring forward corne, and other fruit. But after the things growing from the earth have got lust increase, and by heat waxing toward maturation and ripeness. The **Sun** approaching the hot signe **Leo**, then ariseth **Serius** and **Procyon**, being **Stars** of a hot constellation, stirring up heat. To the tempering whereof, the **Ethelian** winds blow in the day time, after ward the **Sun** coming to **Virgo**, the said heat is mitigated by little and little, and at the rising of **Arcturus**, bringeth raine, all things ceasing growth and encrease, ending the quarter on the 13. day of September.

Autumne or Harvest.

**B**eginneth on the 13. of September, the **Sun** entering into the 2 minute of the Equinoctial Signe **Libra**, equalling againe the night and day: Of nature cold and dry: for the heat ceaseth with the summer passed: although plentiful showes then do fall, so that the Vintage is then in the prime, and the winter seed time made commodious, yet notwithstanding the ayre being made

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made so extreame hot by the Suns accesse to hot signes in Sagitary, the heat is somewhat increased, & the moisture of the earth drawne up, and the ground cherished and prepared for winter following, lest that cold coming of a sudden might hurt the seed and winter corn. This quarter hath his period at the Suns departure from the last minute of Sagitarie, a signe cold and moyst of the watry triplicity, accompanied with mists fogs, and such other pernicious alterations, enemies to nature, and more uncomfortable than any of the other seasons, hurting all things that have a vegetative life: Tending much sicknesse, as the plague, fevers, paines about the parts of the body, especially have now a speciall care of surfeiting.

*Qui ante non cavet post dolebit.*

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*England described in briebe.*

ENGLAND, the Mistress of the earth, in respect of all things which she hath by commerce from foreign Nations, as also in respect of those things which her owne soyle (by the providence of God) produceth, and most especially embracing the true Church of God, now flourishing in her bosome: And therefore may well be tearmed the non Perela of the world: And thus described; she is bordered with the North with Scotland, on the South with the British sea, on the West with the Hibernian Ocean, being situate in the temperate Zone, and eighth Climate, watered with a multitude of Chrysell streames, Currents, and navigable rivers, the banks whereof are crowned with flowry sweet meadowes, replenished with abundance of Cattell, and accosted with all manner of fertile fields,

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With all manner of corne, and pulse, and graine. And besides all these, it affordeth many other commodities and rarities for the use of man. This Kingdome was first inhabited by some Colonies, which did transplant themselves from the neighbouring Coast of France, and lower Germany, as the affinity of their language, pollicy, religion, and manners doe unquestionably prove to come of the off-spring of Gomer, of Japhet's progeny, as their owne appellation doth witness, calling themselves Kometi, who possessed and governed this Land about one thousand yeares, about fifty yeares before the birth of our Saviour.

Then Julius Caesar entred this Iland, which within 150. yeares, was subjugated to the Romans, under whose command they lived untill 430. yeares after Christ. Then the Roman Empire declining, they were forced to call home their Garrisons, and having before exhausted the strength of this Kingdome, left it as a prey for the enemy: Whereupon the Picts assaulted this land, thus furnished and weakened, they were compelled to crave the aid of the Saxons and the Angles, a warlike nation, inhabiting neare the confines of Denmark, who being attined, chased away their enemies: And being allured with the temperatue, and fertility and pleasantnesse of the Countrey, flowing in great numbers, expelled the Brittaines, or Romeri, that would not live under their Lawes and subiections: And they held it untill the yeare 1066. at which time William the Conquerour, with his Normans subdued them, whose successors have enjoyed it to this present time.

It was divided by the Romans into three parts, Britanniam primam, from the South parts to Trent, Maximam Caesariensem, from thence northward. And Britanniam



Britanniam secundam, which we now call Wales. After it was divided by the Saxons into an Heptarchy, and so at the last into a Monarchy: And by Elfrid parted into Shires, Wapentakes, and Tithings, with Justices; and Sheriffs, appointed for ministering of Justice, which partly confirmed, and partly altered by William the Conqueror, who at last divided it into 39 Shires of the English, with addition of the 13. Shires of Wales. In which are at this present two famous Universities, the Seminaries of vertue and learning, 26. Bishopricks, 641. Market Townes, 186. Castles, 9725. Parish Churches, 555. Rivers, 956 Bridges, 13. Chales, 68. Forest, and 78. Parkes, 986. Faires, or Markets. In January are 31, in February 34, in March 69, in April 46, in May 16 in June 90, in July 20, in August 102, in September 118, in October 91, in November 93, in December 28. In it are Tribunalls, or Courts of Justice, Temporall 8. 12. High Court of Parliament, Chancery, Kings Bench Exchequer, Kings Bench, Common Pleas, Court of wards, Admiralty, and Court of Requests, besides Court Leets, and Court Barons: And 6. Spirituall, viz. Convocation, Synods, Visitation, Arches, Prerogatives, Faculties, and peculiar Jurisdictions. Ranks of Nobility 9. that is, Dukes, Marqueses, Viscounts, Barons, Baronets, Knights, Esquires and gentlemen: And of inferiour ranks or Commonalty 3. viz. Yeomen, Tradesmen, Husbandmen, &c. The Battalles both by Sea and Land since the Conquest, fought by the Kings, Nobility and Commons, against foraigne Invasions, and Domestic & intestine wars 76. the last and most aduantageable being in the chase of the Spaniard great Arm do, by the name of invincible, Anno Domini 583. where it was

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ten leaders, of ten Provinces, 72. Gallies, and Gallions, 47. Ships and Hulks, 11. Pinaces and Carballs, 2843. great Ordnance, 9194. Baylers, 18658. Souldiers, 2088. Gallies-slaves. Deliberances from Traytors, and treacherous plots very many, one to be remembred, and never to be forgotten was the discovery of the Gun-powder plot, An. Dom. 1605. November the fifth, by the Papists, they intending to blow up King, Prince, and State, thereby seeking the ruine of the land.

England is in compasse 1530. oddde miles, and in length 386. miles, and in bredth 276. miles. Kings that have swayd the Royall Scepter, being in all 2700 and oddde yeares

Ireland is in compasse 948 miles in length, from North to South 203 miles, in bredth from East to West 113 The Isle of Man is in circuit 91. miles, in length 21. miles, and the bredth 18. miles.

The Isle of Wight is in compasse 58 miles, the length 22. miles, and the bredth neare 12. miles.

The Isle of Mona or Anglesey in Wales is 85. miles in compasse, in length 12 miles, and in bredth 18. miles.

**Meats good for the whole body, and of a  
Sanguine Juyce.**

**G**rapes, Walnuts Sun, Figs be good before meat, and morning milke drunke fasting, Pullets, Pidgeons, Caponets, Teal, sucking, young Pork, Beeffe not above three yeares old, Rice, with Almond milke, Birds of the field, greene Geese, Hen-Egges new potched, not hard, Pheasants, Partridge, and Chickens, fish caught in stony rivers.

Meats good to dry up Phlegme.

These ensuing used moderately be good for that purpose,

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pose, else they burne and inflame, viz. Sweet meats,  
Garlick, Onions, Honey, Peper, Rocket, Leeks, old  
wine measurably drunk

Meat good to allwage heat with moystines.

Fresh Cheese, Grapes,, Lambs, Cucumbers, all  
great Fish-lungs, Braynes, inward part of beasts,  
and meats full of sinewes.

Meat good to mitigate heat with coldnesse.

Beefe, Hares-flesh, Brawn, salt meat, fish, or flesh,  
old Cheese, hard Egges, Apples unripe, thick wines,  
unleavened bread, Milk much sodden, Shell-fish, brown  
bread, Fennell, Bazzill.

Things good for the head.

Gallingle, Marjoram, Rosemary, Roles, Hyssop,  
Camomell, Rue, and Frankinsence.

Good for the heart.

Cinamon, Saffron, Cloves, Mace, Buglose, Bur-  
rage, Muske, Setnell, Rosemary, Marjoram, and  
Nutmegs.

Good for the Stomack.

Quinces, Nutmegs, Saffron, Wormwood, Cor-  
rall, Mintz, Cloves, and Coriander prepared.

Good for the Eyes.

Fennell, Heruen, Cloves, cold water, Cellendine,  
Lapis Calminarius steeped in white Rose-water,  
Eye-bright, all green colours oft to view.

Good for the Liver.

Lettuice, Liverwort, Violets, Rose-water, Plan-  
tan, Fennell, and Cloves.

Good for the Lungs.

Almonds, Raisins, Almonds, Dates, Lung-wort,  
and Penider.

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A Table for all such that use retayling  
at 12. in the Hundred.

Pounds.	by 12. hundr.			Pounds.	Hundreds.		
	l.	s.	d.		l.	s.	d.
2 q.	0	2	4	6 d. q.	2	18	4
3 ob.	0	4	8	6 d. ob.	3	8	8
2 ob. q.	0	7	0	6 d. ob. q.	3	3	0
1 peny.	0	9	3	7 d.	3	5	4
1 peny. q.	0	11	8	7 d. q.	3	7	8
1 peny ob.	0	14	0	7 d. ob.	3	10	0
1 peny. ob. q.	0	16	4	7 d. ob. q.	3	12	4
2 pence.	0	18	8	8 d.	3	14	8
2 d. q.	1	1	0	8 d. q.	3	18	0
2 d. ob.	1	3	4	8 d. ob.	3	19	4
2 d. ob. q.	1	5	8	8 d. ob. q.	4	1	8
3 d.	1	8	0	9 d.	4	4	0
3 d. ob. q.	1	10	4	9 d. q.	4	6	4
3 d. ob.	1	12	8	9 d. ob.	4	8	8
3 d. ob. q.	1	15	0	9 d. ob. q.	4	11	0
4 d.	1	17	4	10 d.	4	13	4
4 d. q.	1	19	8	10 d. q.	4	15	8
4 d. ob.	2	2	0	10 d. ob.	4	18	0
4 d. ob. q.	2	4	4	10 d. ob. q.	5	4	4
5 d.	2	6	8	11 d.	5	2	8
5 d. ob. q.	2	9	0	11 d. q.	5	5	0
5 d. ob.	2	11	4	11 d. ob.	5	7	4
5 d. ob. b.	2	13	8	11 d. ob. q.	5	9	8
	2	16	0	12 d.	5	12	0

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A short view of Astronomy.

The world is a perfect composition of all things : but finite, adorned with all kind of formes and shapcs of bodies, which in all parts are procreated, and do appcare, & at the first created by God aswel in Earth as in Heaven by his word only of nothing, to the end the same might be a proper Manition place for man, in which he might behoord daily and make knowne.

Aristotle maketh two definitions of the world : The first, that it is an apt frame consisting of Heaven and Earth, and of Celestiall and Terrestriall bodies, and of other naturall things in the same contained : The other that it is a body perfect, round of forme, containing the ordinances and distributions of bodies Created by God to tend unto a purpose, and is divided into two parts, viz. Elementall and Ethereall. The first is subject to daily alterations, and containeth foure Elements, viz. Earth, Ayre, fire, Water. An Element is that whercof any thing is compounded, and of it selfe not compounded : Of these foure Elements any part of any kind is also named for the whole : as any part of the Earth is called Earth, and so of the rest : of the composition of these is ingendred divers things of sundry kinds, aswell Vegetative, as Sensitive, Rationall, or Irrationall. And every of these Elements nourisheth therein living Creatures, as the Salamander in our fire, but an imperfect Element because mixt with an earthy matter. The Camelon by the Ayre, and Birds also that live there : fishes in the Water : Moales and Wormes in the Earth, man and Beast on the Earth.

The superficiall convexity of every one of these, as also

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also of the 7. Planets resting on the Superficiall concavity of the next superiour Planet and Element, as the earth hangeth in the concavity of the water, the water in the concavity of the aire, the aire in the concavity of the fire, as the scales of onions inclosing one another. The earth is a round body, like to a ball, dark and solid, without concavity, hanging in the midst of the world by the providence of God, being but as a prick or point of a pen, in respect of the heavens: cold and drye by nature, the water cold and moist, the aire warme and moist, the fire hot & drye: yet each Element participateth with the other: as the fire with the aire in warmenesse, the aire with the water in moistnesse, the Earth with the water in coldnesse, with the fire in drynesse: So that two Elements be extremely contrary: as the fire warme and dry is contrary to the water cold and moist: and the Ayre warme and moist is contrary to the Earth cold and dry: and yet have a quality passe be predominating, as the fire exceeding in heat, and the water in coldnesse.

By participation and commixion all bodyes perfect as also imperfect, which are bodies mixt and gendred. The Aetheriall or Celestiall part of the world doth also compasse in the concavity thereof all the Elementall Region, and hath in it the 7 Planets and their spheres: the reason how the Spheres were first found out, were their contrary motions in the heavens; all things in the heavens turning about the earth upon the Poles in 24 houres, and these motions are from the East unto the West: and this wee attribute to the motion of the 10 sphere, or Primum mobile, without staying, being so appoynted by God from the beginning, and so carryeth about with a contrary motion every one in his kind, contrary to the former from the West into the east;

and

and so are wheeld about oftentimes by the first mover, before they make revolution in themselves.

The next Sphere is the Christalin, being the ninth, & is almost insensible and is perfected in 49000 years. The rest of the Sphaeres are the 7 Planets, each Sphaere containing in it but one Starre: the uppermost and slowest is called Saturne, of a pale colour; performeth his course in 30 yeares: the greatnesse of his body exceeding the Earth 22 times, and distant from the earth 9073000 miles.

Jupiter performeth his course through the Zodiacke in 52 yeares: of colour faire and bright: his corpulency exceeding the Earth 14 times, and distant from the earth 3431400 miles.

Mars finisheth the tract of the Signifier in two yeares: of a fiery colour, lesse than the earth 13 times, and distant from the earth 150700 miles.

The Sunne cleare and bright, passeth through the Zodiacke in 365 dayes, 5 houres and 49 minutes, the bignes of his body is greater than the earth 140 times, and distant from the earth 989000 miles.

Venus cleare shining, finisheth her course in a yeare, and is lesse than the earth six times, and distant from the earth in her meane motion as the Sunne.

Mercury somewhat shining, endeth his revolution in a yeare, and is lesse then the earth 19 times, and distant in his meane motion as the Sunne also.

The Moone the lowest dispatcheth her course in a moneth, and is lesse then the earth 42 times, and distant from the earth 48790 miles.

If any desire to know why these Sphaeres being many, are subiect to sight, but seem as one intire body: the reason is, because they be bodies perspicuous, cleere and transparent.

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Starres are of the same matter as the Heauen or Spheare wherein they are fixed: yet far more thicke and apt to retayne the light of the Sunne: for as the light of a Candle passeth through a hole on the roote of a house, and the same will appeare and make that part shining to light: whereas the contrary would happen in a light and perspicuous place: Neither doe they twinkle, only our eyes be deceived by the farre distance of them, and also the mutation of the Ayre.

The 7 Planets seeme not to twinkle to us, because they be farre more neere unto us, their beames more stronger: for the more neerer the light is unto us, the more violent are the beames proceeding from the same: When the Starres seeme to shoot, looke for wind from that quarter: also a circle being about any of the Planets, looke for Raine.

The Eclipse of the Sun is the interposition of the body of the moon, betwixt us and the Sun, and is never eclipsed but at a new Moon. The Moons Eclipse is the interposition of the body of the earth, betwixt us and the Sun, and is eclipsed at a full Moon, but not at every full Moon, no more than the Sun is at every new moon.

The Rain-bow is made by the Sun-beames, striking on a low Cloud, the edge repelled, and is a signe and token that God remembreth his promise to man never to destroye the world againe. If two rain-bowes appeare, looke for raine. A rainbow after raine look for fayre weather. If the rainbow be red looke for lightnings.

A Cloud is a vapour cold and moyt, drawn from the earth, out of the earth by the heat of the Sun into the middle region of the ayre and by cold knit together, and hangeth untill its own weight or some resoration make



it fall, and that is raine. Clouds fleeting to the East raine. Clouds rising apace in the ayre, beweth winds to blow from that coast: the worse coming from the North and South.

Clouds are of 2 sorts, the one ascending, the other descending: a vapour lifted up into the ayre by the heat of the Sun thence thickned, falleth downe againe, and maketh these grosse vapors, and is a signe of faire weather.

Dew is a vapour which in the Spring and Harbest drawne by the Suns heat in the day, and abiding in the lower Region, by the cold of night is condensed into water, and so falleth in very small drops in a temperate coole time.

White Frost is a dew congealed; South and west winds causeth dew, but North, and North-east, congeale them, making the Frost. Store of snow falling in the plaine, the Frost will breake.

Hail is a vapour in the middle Region of the Ayre by that Region made thicke into a Cloud, which falling downe to the sudden cold of the lower Region, and there congealed.

Snow is a Cloud, by great cold congealed before it can be dissolved: store of snow in winter, a plentifull yeare followeth after.

A Comet or blazing Starre is an exhalation hot and dry, of great quantity hot, and clammy, compact like a great lump of pitch, which the Sun by his heat draweth out of the earth into the highest region of the ayre, and there by the excessive heat of the place set on fire, appearing like a Star, with a long bushy tayle, and lasteth so long as there is substance to burne: (an evident token of a corrupt ayre) Some write, a signe of Earth-quakes, Wars, Death of great men,

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men, of plague dangerous the yeare after its appearing, especially to that Climate where it appeareth, fore-runners of great destruction, corrupting of earthly things, signifying great stormes and tempestuous windes to follow. Stars never fall, as we surmise, for God hath set them fast for ever. If Stars seeme to sparkle in winter, look for frosts.

winde is by many exhalations drawne from the earth, and enforced back runneth round about the same. The Rainbow appearing red, lightning in the North. The Moon small and red, divers colours about the Sun or Moon, foretell wind to ensue.

Earthquakes are plenty of winds gotten into the Cabernes of the earth; and the earth againe closing, causing the shaking thereof: (and as some write is a token of warre) The absence of wind long, the Sun overcast without any Clouds, terrible noyse heard in the ayre, as the clattering of armour, howling, belloving, busting, foretell of earthquakes to ensue.

Thunder is an exhalation hot and drie, mixt with moisture, and carryed up into the middle Region, there inclosed in a Cloud: these 2 contrarieties shut up together, fall at variance, breake the Cloud; The rending of the cloud we call thunder, the fire lightning, the bolt, a grosse substance engendred betwixt these vapours: thunder at night, great tempests follow: some write that winters thunder, probes Summers wonder.

Lightning drie burneth, moist blasteth, but the clear melteth money in purses, draweth wine out of vessels, breaketh the bones, killeth the childe in the womb: and yet the purse, the vessel, the flesh, and the mother not touched nor hurt, lightnings do slay winds, the extraordinary shooting of the stars shew Lightnings to follow.

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The ebbing and flowing of the Sea is caused by the course of the Moon which ruleth over moisture, as the Sun doth over heat; for from the new Moon to the full all humors increase: and from the full to the new moon decrease again: the sea swelling about the shore, winds follow: winds blowing hard in the South, and again turning suddenly into the North, great tempest on sea: and raine after a short calmethe the winds: Also the moone at full, or change, or first, or last quarter in Aries, Leo, or Sagitarius, in winter iudge faire, in summer hot weather, chiefly in June and July:

But being at the same times in Taurus, Virgo, Capricorn, in winter cold, in summer temperate weather.

But in Libra, Gemini, Aquarius wind, specially in harvest. If in Cancer, Scorpio, or Pisces, in winter moist weather, in summer temperate weather.

### Rules of Husbandry.

The Ancients teach this Lesson, to plough on Plough-day, or 6. dayes before: to fallow 6. dayes before Valentines day, to set Beanes and Pease before St. Chads day, to sow Barly 6. dayes before St. George day, to fell Timber 6. dayes before Ascension day, to plant Herbes and Flowers before Midsummer day, to cut down Meddowes and sheere Sheep 6. dayes before St. James day, to reap Rye a little after Lammes, Wheat before Bartholmew, Barly on the Nativity of Mary. Sow Hempe before St. Winifrids day, to carry it to water neere St. Margarets day, and to begin to reap about St. Matthews day. Dye meddowes and Up-lands about the Annuntiation of Mary, and sow grounds at Midsummer.

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**To prevent Moles that eat the roots of cozne in the**  
**spring or fall :** take the smoak of Gunpowder or Sul-  
**phur,** and perfume the haunts and walkes : **Against**  
**the Field-Mice,** take Arsenicke, Honey, and Lime,  
 make it to a paste, and scatter it here and there about  
 in the lands : **Against field-rats** take Poppy-seeds  
 bruised with wheat, therewith bait their holes : **A-**  
**gainst Pismirs** take the roots of Gentian, and sprin-  
 kle the place where they resort. For snailles black or  
 gray, take the corrupted dregs of strong train Oile, and  
 mixe it with ashes of Holly burned, and sprinkle it a-  
 bout the cozne, it will kill the snailles and better the  
 corn, and grounds; for worms stir your grounds in the  
 hottest of summer, it will also kill all weeds and  
 thistles, ; then take Dre-dung and urine burn it and  
 fume the ground, this is a present remedy : **Against**  
**Lightning,** bury a great toad, newt, or any  
 venomous thing in any part of the cozne field, closed  
 in some stone vessell ; well luted up, that no vapour  
 may enter in ; or else stick Holly or Thie-bushes in  
 every of the field : from thunder great noises are good,  
 but principally make fires of the rotten stable, or most  
 stinking things you can get to burne in diuers places :  
**Against Frost** nothing better than the rotten litter  
 taken from under horse feet spread on the cozne, horse-  
 Dung dried and scattered upon the land, or the manure  
 of pulien : against Mistes and fogs, and ill vapours  
 make diuers blazing fires of dry fuel : to purge the  
 ayre the best way is dry Hemlock: **against hail-storms,**  
 and tempest, take Wats, Owles, house-Cats, and set  
 them on stakes in the corners of the fields: For Planet  
 striking, take the shavings of cozne, mixt with  
 horse Dung, and burie it in diuers places of the fields  
 to preserve corn in the house being threshed is to reap  
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it all the change of the Moone, for then it is fullest, and not subject to putrifaction. But if it need further helpe, take Arsenicke and Mercury sublimat, and close it in bags of Leather, and hang it neare your Garners.

Oyle Lees cast upon Cozne will do the same, so likewise will the powder of Chaulke, dyed Rozemewood, the dyed leaves of Yew, Cypress, Vinegar, and Asperitium mixt and sprinkled, preserve all manner of Pulse.

Take also your salt fish-barrells inwardly wel dasked with plaister, or Pitch Barrells, sprinkled with Vinegar: For want of plaister dasked them with Pitch and Soape and Ashes or Lime, Vinegar and Soap-ash, or the dyed hutch chest or hing of Dye Oak-wood well seasoned, will keepe Cozne without putrifaction an hundred yeares: And where they are not to be got, there if the soyle be drye, and without moysture, as in Rocks, Sands, wort-springs abound not, there handsome and close Caves made in the Earth, and covered so that the aire may not enter, will keep Cozne long and sound without taint.

### Elections Physicall,

Let not bloud but for just causes, and take advice of the Learned, and at fit times, according to the motion of the heavenly bodies; generally may be let out when the Moon is in Aries, Libra, Sagitarius, or Pisces: More particular for a cholerick person, the Moon in Cancer, Scorpio, or Pisces.: For the flegmaticke, the moon in Aries, or Sagitarius: For the melancholy, the moon in Libra or Aquarius: For the sanguine, all the former Signs are indifferent.

Wleed not when the moone is in Gemini, Leo, the

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last 15. Degrees of Libra, and the first 15. Degrees of Scorpio, with Taurus, Virgo, Capricorne. Yet for the Pestilence, Phlegme, Plurisie, Squinancie, or for a continuall burning ague, or continuall headach, proceeding of Cholera, or hot superfluous blood, or for any extreame paine caused by heat: in these diseases you must hast to let blood, unless the patient be weak and subject to swoounding.

Good signes for purging, generally are Cancer, Scorpio, and Pisces, particularly, as with potions and drinks, when the Moone hath her course in Scorpio.

Purge with Electuaries the Moone in Cancer.

Purge with Pills the Moone in Aries, Taurus, Capricorne.

Take Gargarisme the Moone in Aries and Cancer.

Preparatives, in Gemini, Libra, or Aquarius.

Take Clysters the Moone in Libra or Scorpio.

Stop Rheumes, Fluxes, and Lasks, the Moone in Taurus, Virgo, and Capricorn.

Purge by sneezing, the Moone in Cancer, Leo, Virgo.

Let not the Moone be in Signes that check the cure in the time of giving purgative medicines, as Aries, Taurus, Leo, Capricorn: nor when she is in conjunction with a Planet retrograde, neither with Saturne or Mars, for then the patient may vomit up the medicine.

Bath for health the Moone in Aerie Signes as in Aries, Leo, Sagitarius.

Bath for cleanness of body, the Moone in Libra or Pisces. But for the disease of the Pustillie, let the Moone be in Watry Signes, aspected with Jupiter or Venus.

Sweatings are of 2. sorts, and for 2. ends: The naturall sweat, good heed being taken, openeth the pores, dissolveth grosse and thick humours, cleanseth

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the blood, comforts the spirits, puts away cold, consumeth raw humours, helps dimnesse of sight, and the dropsie.

The artificiall sweat cleanseth scabs, puts away the Itch, mends dulnesse in hearing, easeth the stone, dissolues the congealed and cold melancholy blood and humours, &c.

The best signes to sweat in, is when the Moone is in Aries, Leo, Sagittarius.

An Unguent or plaster is best applied, the Moone being in the signe attributed to the member wherunto he is applyed as the moon in Capricorn the Knees, &c.

Weane children the Moone in the last quarter, to make them forget the dugg, and nurse the better.

Give medicines to kill worms the day before and after the full of the Moone.

In giving purgative medicines, the Moone decreasing, is better than increasing. Shee being not neare the Sun, or aspected with Saturne or Mars.

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### Other Cautions Physicall.

TAke no Physick in the Dog-dayes, nor in the extreme heat of Summer or cold of Winter.

Rise betimes in the morning, especially in May, June, &c. walk the fields after the filling of the veines with some good drinks or broths.

It is better to eat with some intermission, than to eat too much at once, because the stomack may be clogged therewith.

It is a signe of good digestion to be cold presently after you have eaten your meat.

Sup not too late at anytime.



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In the Spring bloud increaseth, therefore such meane are good as doe ingender good bloud are to be chosen: Peares and appies, cheese, milke, and all salt meats breed ill bloud; use them therefore moderately: In this quarter take physick without danger.

In Summer the pores of the body are opned, whereby the naturall heat is somewhat watted, which makes digestion the more weaker; wherefore let thy dyet be lesse and more slenderer than in the spring; yea and such of easie digestion.

In Autume beware fruits, lest thou catch a surfeit: This season is fitter than the summer to take physick in.

In winter the coldnesse of the ayre drives in our naturall heat, whereby the stomack is made able to digest almost any kind of meat.

Fly wrath, anger and envy, and use mirth moderately, trauaile soberly that you sweat not in the Summer. Drinke before you wash every morning. Use not hot drinks nor spices in heat of Summer, nor hot burning meats, fast not too long in mornning, retain: not excrements too long, keep your selfe in a pure ayre, sup not too late, and then eat but little. Walke not abroad in mists and fogs, fasting it breedeth the plague. And in time of plague eat Garlick, Rue, with sweet Butter. Flesh is wholsomer than fish for health. Eat not too much sower meat, vinegar, nor salt. it maketh the bones and sinewes sore. Let thy drinke be not too new, nor too old. Of all things take measure, and no more; for in measure resteth health and vertue.

*Qui ante non cauet post dolebit.*

Fourre times this year will the 2 bright Lamps of heauen be eclipsed of their illustrious light: but because one onely of the moon shal be visible in our Horizon, viz. on the 17. day of Septem. neare 7. a clock at night, I omit further to write thereof.

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The Southing of the Moon this yeare 1643.

Age of the moone		Moone South.	
1	16	12	48
2	17	1	36
3	18	2	24
4	19	3	12
5	20	4	0
6	21	4	48
7	22	5	36
8	23	6	24
9	24	7	12
10	25	8	0
11	26	8	48
12	27	9	36
13	28	10	24
14	29	11	12
15	30	12	0

First, finde her age in the Kalender, which age being found, looke in one of the rowses of the left hand, in this Table, descending or ascending: Against which in the third Column is the time of her comming to the south: Example, the 12. day of Ianuarie shee is two dayes old, commeth to the south at 36. minutes after one of clock: And you must note, that all the increase of the moone shee commeth to the south in the evening follow-

ing the Sun; but all the decrease in the morning going before the Sun.

To find the high Water in most Coasts of England, as also upon what poynt of the Compasse it followeth in any of the Coasts.

First (as you are before instructed) finde what houre the moon will be South, for you may then conclude, that it is high water at Southampton, Quinborough, and Portsmouth, for there the south and north moons do make a full water. But if you desire the full water in any other Coast about this kingdome; in the ensuing Table finde the name of the place, and see how many houres and minutes bee annexed thereto in the Row under H. M. which if you add to the time of the moons comming to the south, you have the time of high water for the place required.

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And for your further delight I have adloped the  
 points of the Compass that the Moon will be on, to  
 the full Sea in which we may note the mon-  
 therull use of the Load-stone, whose divers vertues, mo-  
 tion, and secrets were never so much discovered as  
 of late. View Dr. Ridley his Treatise of Magnetics  
 call Bodies.

Names of Havens.	H. M.	Points of Compass
Redban or Therden, add	45 3	S. W. by W N. by E.
Gravesend add	1 30	S. S. W N N. E.
Dundee, St Andrew Si <sup>y</sup>	2 15	S. W. by S. N. E. by N
London Finnerh, Hartlepoole,	3 0	S. W. N E.
Burwick, Ostend,	3 45	S. W. by W N E. b. E.
Frisb, Lyerb, Danbar,	4 30	W S. W E. N. E.
For Flamouth adde	5 15	W. by S E. b. N.
Foy, Ltn, Humber, Weymouth,	6 0	East. West.
or Portsmouth adde	6 45	E by S. W. by N
For Bristol de	7 30	S. S. E. W N: W:
Milford, Bridgewater	8 15	S. E. by E. N. W. b. W
Portland, Peer sport	9 0	South east N. West.
Orkenpoole, Orwell,	9 15	S. E. b. S. N: W. b. N
Dcep, Lux, Penmoyes	10 30	S. S. E. N: N: W
Bolloyn, Harwich, Dover, Tarm.	11 15	South b E N: by W.
Gallis Rye, and Wichelesy		

### Example.

Inuaric the 12. 1643 It is required to know  
 full water at Gravesend, by the former Table  
 I finde the Moone South at one of Clock, and  
 36 minutes. Then in the last Table against  
 the name of Gravesend I find one houre and 30  
 minutes

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minutes, which added together make 3 houres  
6 minutes, the Tide there the same day.

And you must note your spring Tides and  
fall Moone, bying in Tides sooner, and great  
floods, and strong winds.

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The chiefe commodities in every shire of England.

**K**Ent chieftest cloth of England yeelds,

Surrey is full of fruitfull fields,  
Sussex Glasse and Iron brings,  
Middlesex, chamber of our Kings,  
Hampshire Karlyes, Forrests and Deere,  
Wiltshire sheepe, and stoning rare,  
Dorchester Allom and Copras hath,  
Somerset Diamonds, and the Bath,  
Devonshire Karlyes high of price,  
Essex Saffron sold with spice,  
Cornwall, Mines of gold and Tinn,  
Hartford Pastures wood and kine,  
Oxford Schooles of learned men,  
Berkshire Corne of every graine,  
Buckingham Sheep, and Cattell store,  
Glocester Woods, and blessings more,  
Suffolk pastures, cattle, and cloth,  
Rutland many pleasures hath.  
Norfolke Sheep, Conies, and Wool,  
Northampton shire of Corne is full.  
Huntington Fish and Fowle affords,  
Cambridge nurse of many Lords.  
Bedford Corne and Champion Lands,  
Warwick with wood and pasture stands.

Leicester

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Leicester Corne doth spread the ground,  
Worcester Salt and Fruit abound,  
Stafford Alabaster Iron and Wood,  
Shropshire fresh Ayre and Cottens good,  
Hereford Sheepe and Wool doth breed,  
Nottingham store of Cattell feed.  
Lincolne Foule, and precious stone,  
Darby Lead, Wool, and Milstone:  
Cheshire salt and pastures green,  
Lancashire Oxen for the Teem,  
Yorkshire Liquoris, Lead, and Jet,  
Durham Copper and Coales beget  
Westme land Cloth of Northern Wooll,  
Northumb. Copper and sea coales full.  
Cumberland Mines of silver and gold,  
Munmoth ston, for Wales is cold,  
Clamorgan a spring that flowes with tide,  
Brecknock Salmon and Trout beside,  
Radnor River the banks doth fill,  
Cardigan pasture and meeres at will,  
Carmarden Cattell, Corne, and Cole,  
Mountgomery breeds Goats and Foales.  
Pembroke hawky, Fish, barley greine,  
Merioneth rocks, and mountaines maine;  
Denbigh Lead, and Cunnall for fire,  
All heart can desire.  
Flint hath Rye and once had Mines,  
Canarvan hills and fruit betimes.  
Thus every Country hath great store,  
Having enough, what would they more.

*Soli sapienti Deo Sola gloria.*

**F I N I S.**

